** A slide/lecture series on local history and historical preservation is presently being prepared by the Committee for use in area high schools.

** The Committee is presently collecting historical documents and artifacts to serve as the nucleus of a museum collection on local history and culture.

** The Committee is presently restoring the tower room on the third floor ("301") of Carbondale City Hall and, if everything proceeds according to schedule, will sponsor a photography exhibition in "301" in November 1982.

BECOME A MEMBER OF THE COMMITTEE TO RESTORE CARBONDALE CITY HALL, INC.

Historical preservation is, and must be, a grassroots movement. Where it's headed in each community can only be determined by the people whose lives are most closely touched. If you live in Carbondale, were born in Carbondale, have a business in Carbondale or work in Carbondale, your life is now, and will in the future be, affected by the position that you take today with reference to historical preservation. Enlightened self-interest, therefore, tells you that you should become involved in the historical preservation movement in Carbondale.

CARBONDALE, AND THE COMMITTEE TO RESTORE CARBONDALE CITY HALL, NEED YOU.

In order to make the most intelligent and sensitive use of all of our community's assets to produce a livable and humane environment, combining the best of the old and the new, we (Carbondale, and the Committee to Restore Carbondale City Hall) need you. We need you because historical preservation in Carbondale will succeed only if the entire community gets involved in historical preservation.

Whatever your talents, we need you. We need you to help with the day-to-day tasks of historical preservation. We need you, as well, because we must participate in community education, in policy formulation, in community planning. We need you because we must deal with urban design, real estate financing and community organizing.

We need you to help prevent the physical and economic decay of the city of Carbondale. Home towns, it must not be forgotten, become ghost towns one block at a time. It has happened, and all too frequently, in economically depressed towns such as Carbondale. We must not allow Carbondale to become a ghost town. We must guarantee the future of the city of Carbondale. We can do so by investing our time and talents in Carbondale's past, we can do so by investing our time and talents in Carbondale's present, we can do so by investing our time and talents in Carbondale's future. Join us. Together we can turn things around in Carbondale. Together, we can determine and shape our environment. Together, we can control the decisions that affect our city, that affect our countryside, that affect our lives. Join us.

BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP:

As a member of the Committee to Restore Carbondale City Hall, Inc.

--you will experience the satisfaction of knowing that you are helping, in an effective manner, to preserve and protect Carbondale's irreplacable architectural and cultural heritage;

--you will know that you are doing something to help prevent the physical and economic decay of the city of Carbondale;

--you will be helping to guarantee the future of the city of Carbondale.

As a member of the Committee to Restore Carbondale City Hall, Inc. you will receive:

--a Certificate of Membership;

--the BULLETIN OF THE COMMITTEE TO RESTORE CARBONDALE CITY HALL, INC., free of charge. The first issue of this publication will be published this Fall, and will contain a complete account of the educational and historical activities that were sponsored by the Committee during Carbondale's Fourth Annual Pioneer Days, August 23-28, 1982;

--a complimentary copy of NORTHEASTERN PENNSYLVANIA, the historical quarterly about the eleven counties of northeastern Pennsylvania, that is published in Carbondale by Sheffield Publications, Inc.;

--a 20% discount on subscriptions to and single copies of NORTHEASTERN PENNSYLVANIA, as well as on all of the publications of Sheffield Publications, Inc.;

--a 20% discount on all publications by the Committee, the first of which is the facsimile reprint, published in April 1982, of A GEOGRAPHICAL HISTORY OF THE CITIES, BOROUGHS AND TOWNSHIPS AND THEIR SUBDIVISIONS IN LACKAWANNA COUNTY COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA (written in 1939 as a project under the Works Progress Administration).